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#### INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the above-identified Office action, discussion is included below regarding the rejection of claims 1-4 under 35 USC 102, the limitations of claim 12 are incorporated into claim 6 in an effort to overcome the rejection of claims 6-11 under 35 USC 102, and claim 12 is hereby cancelled. Claim 7 is amended to overcome informality. No new matter is introduced by the amendments herein. Reconsideration of the original claims 1-5, 8-11 and the amended claims 6 and 7 are respectfully requested.

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